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With respect to the above-identified application, we have received a second Official Action from the Examiner.

The term for filing a response to the Action expires on

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A three-month extension of this term is obtainable.

We enclose a translation of the pertinent portion of the Action, copies of the cited reference and our comments thereon.

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